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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed June 22, 2004, a corrected section of the Listing of Claims is set forth below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2.

It is not believed that any fees are necessary. If the Patent Office deems that any fees are necessary, authorization is hereby granted to charge any required fees to Deposit Account No. 22-0261.